

## Utah State History Announces Grants to Certified Local Governments

Salt Lake City – Utah Division of State History has awarded over \$175,000 in matching grants to 20 Certified Local Governments (CLGs) for the 2016-2017 grant year. CLG grants assist local governments in documenting and preserving historic buildings and archaeological sites. The grants, which consist of federal and state funds, require a 50/50 match of local funds or donated services.

“Certified Local Government’s play a vital role in saving the irreplaceable historic character of places,” said Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer, Roger Roper. “Communities that are Certified Local Government’s (CLG’s), make local commitments to historic preservation. These commitments are crucial to preserve, protect, and increase awareness of our unique cultural heritage.”

For more information on the Certified Local Government program, please contact Roger Roper, Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer at [rroper@utah.gov](mailto:rroper@utah.gov), 801-245-7251, or visit <http://history.utah.gov>.

**American Fork – \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed American Fork Second Ward Meetinghouse, hire a professional consultant to prepare a National Register Multiple Property Documentation form, prepare National Register nominations for 5 buildings, attend the Utah Preservation Conference, and digitize and produce a searchable database of approximately five years of the American Fork Citizen Newspaper.

**Centerville - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Thomas and Sara Whitaker house, hire a professional consultant to prepare intensive level survey documentation on approximately 3 historic buildings, prepare a National Register nomination, and attend the Utah Preservation Conference.

**Draper - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Draper Park School.

**Eureka - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Eureka City Hall.

**Gunnison - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Casino Star Theater.

**Hanksville - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Hanksville Meetinghouse/school.

**Heber - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Heber City Amusement Hall.

**Hurricane - \$5,182** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Hurricane Library & City Hall.

**Leeds - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Leeds CCC Camp Historic District and the National Register-listed Wells Fargo and Company Express Building.

**Logan - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Hotel Eagle Annex.

**Morgan County - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Morgan Union Pacific Depot.

**Parowan - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Parowan Meetinghouse (Rock Church).

**Rockville - \$7,500** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Russell Home in the Grafton Historic District, and to publish walking tour brochures.

**Salina - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed Salina Presbyterian Church (Miss Mary’s Museum).

**Salt Lake City - \$20,000** for costs associated with hosting an onsite seminar, and attendance to a national, regional, or local conference related to historic preservation.

**Salt Lake County - \$4,000** to hire a consultant to conduct a standard reconnaissance level survey of the Magna historic district and the Millcreek area, and hire a professional consultant to complete intensive level survey documentation on Camp Kearns.

**Sandy - \$10,000** Rehabilitation work will be completed on a National Register-listed contributing commercial building in the Sandy Historic District – to be determined, to help with costs associated with the design and publication of a tri-fold educational and informational brochure about some of Sandy City's historic buildings, update and reprint the “Walking Tour of Sandy City” booklet, and to attend the 2016 Main Street Now conference in Milwaukee, WI.

**St. George - \$1,500** to help fund an onsite workshop for maintenance and restoration of historic adobe buildings.

**Taylorsville - \$1,250** for professional service costs associated with research, design, and publication of a power point presentation of the historic Jones Dairy House (Taylorsville/Bennion Heritage Center) to be posted on the City’s website and made available to high school and community college instructors for use in their classes.

**Tooele County - \$10,000** for rehabilitation work on the National Register-listed E. T. Benson Mill.